# **NATIVE AMERICAN CULTURE & CUSTOMS**

## INSTRUCTOR: MYRNA KUKA – DOC NATIVE AMERICAN LIAISON

Thursday June 4, 2009 10am – 2pm

Monday June 29, 2009 2pm – 6pm

#### **MONTANA STATE PRISON**

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Course Description: This course will describe and explain some of the Native

American customs and traditions that are part of their culture. Issues related to security will be discussed and explained. What is a medicine bag, and why is it sacred? What is "sweat lodge" and why do we allow Native Americans to participate in it? What is the history behind the Native American population in Montana? Many more topics will be discussed and explained. Come to this training session to get your questions answered.

Who Should Attend: Anyo

Anyone interested in learning more about Native American customs and cultures. All Criminal Justice employees.



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